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ROME 26, BONN 26, BUENOS AIRES 35, TEL AVIV 56, BRUSSELS 10,
LONDON, ROME, BONN, BUENOS AIRES, TEL AVIV, BRUSSELS, UNNUMBERED

RE: EICHMANN CASE

AT 10 AM THIS MORNING SECRETARIAT INFORMED US ISRAELIS AND ARGENTINES HAD ASKED FOR POSTPONEMENT SC MTG FOR ONE HALF HOUR. SUBSEQUENTLY IT DEVELOPED ARGENTINA ONLY HAD ASKED FOR DELAY AS FRONDIZI GALLERG AMADEO. QUIJANO (ARGENTINA) LATER TOLD US TABOADA CALLED AMADEO FROM PARIS AT 7 AM NY TIME TO SAY THAT AT 5 AM NY TIME ISRAELIS HAD COME TO ARGENTINE EMBASSY SUGGESTING BEN-GURION - FRONDIZI MEETING NEXT SUNDAY IN BRUSSELS. QUIJANO SAID THIS WAS FIRST TIME FORMAL INVITATION HAD BEEN MADE. TABOADA SAID HE DID NOT SEE HOW ARGENTINA COULD ACCEPT UNDER THESE CIRCUMSTANCES. HE SAID FRONDIZI WOULD CALL AMADEO FOLLOWING STATE LUNCHEON. AT 10 AM FRONDIZI CALLED AMADEO TO SAY THERE WOULD BE NO MEETING BETWEEN HIM AND BEN-GURION IN VIEW OF MANNER IN WHICH INVITATION TO MEETING HAD BEEN HANDLED. AMADEO WAS INSTRUCTED TO DENY INFO THAT MEETING HAD BEEN AGREED TO. HE SUBSEQUENTLY MADE SUCH DENIAL CITING BEN-GURION'S STATEMENT OF YESTERDAY AFTERNOON THAT ISRAEL WOULD NOT LET EICHMANN GO UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES. DIXON (UK) TOLD MISSION OFFICER SEPARATELY ISRAELIS HAD HANDLED WHOLE INVITATION QUESTION IN "ABOMINABLE" MANNER DIPLOMATICALLY SPEAKING.

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